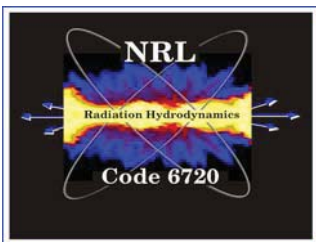


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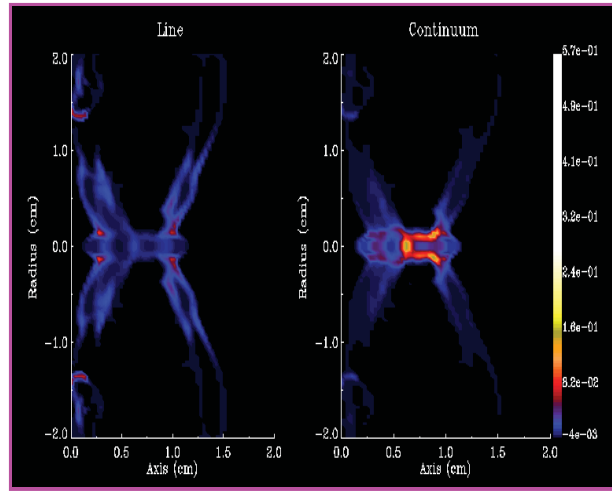
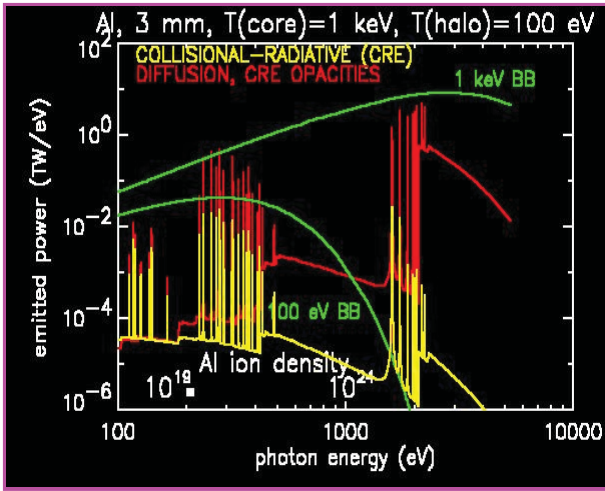
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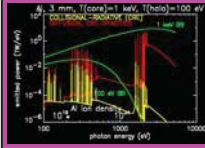
combining magnetohydro- dynamics, ionization dynamics and radiation physics. In addition, the program has scientific collaborations with theoretical and

experimental groups inside and outside of NRL in the areas of: x-ray production from pulsed power driven and laser produced plasmas, radiation transport and hydrodynamic flows, electrical physics of power flow and opening switches, x-ray laser modeling and design, physics and dynamics of electromagnetic launchers, plasma arc torch processing of shipboard wastes, z-pinch physics, basic atomic and radiation physics, equation-of-state physics, theory of strongly coupled and degenerate plasmas, and strong field effects on gain, radiative emission, and fundamental atomic phenomena.



RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

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